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OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19, 1955—5:30 P. M

To open a Commandery of Knights Templars for the dispatch of business

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### FOR THE ORDERS

- \*ROBERT S. ANDREWS, Wade St., No. Scituate — Asst. Underwriter.  
Recommended by Em. Sir Alfred C. Blake and S. K. Arthur Curren, Jr.
- EUGENE C. DASCH, Jr., 44 Cottage Park Rd., Winthrop — Student  
Recommended by S.K. George Locus and Em. Sir John Reid
- \*JAMES I. F. MATTHEW, 18 Clarendon St., Watertown — Salesman  
Recommended by S.K. Arthur A. Camer and Em. Sir James C. Bayley
- \*RICHARD STRAUSS, Crescent Ave., Scituate — Sales Representative.  
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Recommended by Em. Sir John Reid and Em. Sir Harold A. Budreau
- ELMER V. TELFER, 90 Sagamore Ave., West Medford — Bldg. Contractor  
Recommended by E. Sir James S. W. Rogers and Em. Sir John Reid.

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### SEILER DINNER 6:30 P.M.

Members \$2.00. Guests \$3.00. Provision will be made only for those who reply (postcard enclosed) by Monday, January 17, 1955.

### ENTERTAINMENT

#### WORK

#### The Illustrious Order of Red Cross and Order of Malta (ENTITLED)

ELMER E. BARBER	WILLIAM H. MUMLER
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and those candidates present and entitled to receive the degrees at this meeting.

By order of

Attest:

HAROLD A. BUDREAU

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### REHEARSAL FOR RED CROSS DEGREE TEAM

Monday, January 17, 1955 — Buffet Supper, Masonic Temple 5:45 P.M.

### CHRISTMAS PARTY

Our Christmas party was a huge success. Em. Sir Clyde Carter receives our special thank you for preparing the "Camels Milk." Over 200 of our Sir Knights attended and a good time was had by all.

### CHRISTMAS GOOD CHEER FUND

Your Commander is deeply grateful for the generous contributions to our Christmas Fund. Special Christmas boxes were sent to our Shut-ins and members serving in the Armed Forces, and we have received many heart warming expressions of thanks from the recipients.

### EMINENT SIR. HERMAN C. McSTAY CLASS

We will have a large class of candidates in honor of our distinguished Past Commander, who, we anticipate will be chosen Illustrious Potentate of Aleppo Temple at the Annual meeting this month. There is still time to get your candidate ready for this class, so please get your petition in the hands of your Commander or the Recorder as promptly as possible.

### ORDER OF THE RED CROSS IN DRAMATIC FORM AT THIS CONCLAVE

The Illustrious Order of the Red Cross in full costume, and with dramatic effects, will be conferred on this special class, at this Conclave, under the direction of our Generalissimo, Sir Knight Charles D. Harrington. De Molay Commandery will bring their Candidates to our meeting to receive the Red Cross, and our candidates have been invited to receive the Order of Malta in full form at DeMolay Commandery, one week later, on January 26th. The Order of Malta in Short Form, will be conferred in Boston Commandery, at our Stated Conclave, January 19th, by Acting Captain General, Sir Knight Francis R. Heiligmann, at the conclusion of the Red Cross, on those candidates who will find it inconvenient to go to De Molay on January 26th.

Incidentally, Sir Knights, there are several openings for speaking or non-speaking parts, in our special Red Cross Ritualistic degree team, and any Sir Knight interested is invited to attend rehearsal, on Monday evening, January 17th, which will be preceded by a buffet supper at 5:45 P.M. Please notify Sir Knight Harrington, or any of our Officers. We extend a cordial invitation to any member of our Commandery to participate in this beautiful work.

### ANNUAL INSPECTION

Our Annual Inspection will be held on **Wednesday, March 16, 1955.** Please set aside this date and arrange to be present and help us "get out the count." Extra rehearsals for Officers and Guards, are scheduled for Friday evening, March 4 and March 11, and dress rehearsal for Monday, March 14. Please make note of these dates.

### BOSTON COMMANDERY AGAIN HONORED

Boston Commandery has been honored by the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in Massachusetts, Eminent Sir Whitfield W. Johnson, by the appointment of two of our distinguished Sir Knights to important positions in the Grand Lodge. Right Worshipful Sir Knight A. Neill Osgood has been appointed Deputy Grand Master and our Generalissimo Sir Knight Charles D. Harrington has been appointed District Deputy Grand Master of the 6th (Arlington) District. We extend our sincere congratulations to both of these Sir Knights for the honor conferred on them and wish them every success during their administration.



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### WORK

#### The Order of the Temple

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(and those candidates present and entitled to receive the orders)

### SEILER DINNER 6:30 P.M.

Members \$2.00. Guests \$3.00. Provision will be made only for those who reply (postcard enclosed) by Monday, February 14, 1955.

### ENTERTAINMENT

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### REHEARSAL — FULL FORM OPENING FOR OFFICERS AND GUARDS

Monday, February 14, 1955 — Order of the Temple  
Buffet Dinner, Masonic Temple, at 5:45 P.M.

### PREPARE FOR INSPECTION

Wednesday, March 16, 1955 at 5:00 P.M. Sharp

Boston is one of two Commanderies in our jurisdiction to exemplify the complete Order of the Temple in Full Form at Inspection. Your presence is essential to obtain a high mark, as the count is our major obstacle. If you cannot come for the work, plan to be with us at dinner and stay for the count at 8:00 p.m.

### SPECIAL REHEARSALS FOR INSPECTION

Friday, March 4; Friday, March 11, and  
Dress Rehearsal, Monday, March 14

### AT OUR LAST CONCLAVE

The Illustrious Order of the Red Cross has never been given with such excellent timing, precision and perfection of the ritual, as it was exemplified before a large gathering at our January meeting. Too much praise cannot be lavished on Em. Sir James S. W. Rogers, Sir Knight E. Wayne Donaldson, and Rev. Sir Knight Chas. E. Pedersen, and all the members of the cast, who did such an outstanding job at that meeting. Our congenial Generalissimo is doing valiant work in getting this team organized, and the heartfelt thanks of your Commander is hereby extended to him. He will be glad to welcome any Sir Knights who are desirous of becoming active participants in the work of Boston Commandery. Please contact Sir Knight Charles D. Harrington, whether it be for a speaking or non-speaking part on this wonderful team.

### EMINENT SIR HERMAN C. McSTAY CLASS

Our thanks to all the Sir Knights who contributed one or more petitions for this class. We appreciate the interest of our busy Past Commander, who will greet and personally Knight each candidate of this class. We also take this opportunity of congratulating him on his election as Illustrious Potentate of Aleppo Temple, and wish him a most successful administration. It must have been a tremendous tug on his heart strings to look down on over two hundred Sir Knights of Boston Commandery as they marched through the Patrol Lines at the ceremonial on Friday, January 28, to pay homage to him on his election as Illustrious Potentate, and to present him a beautiful television set. It was an honor and a privilege to me, as your Commander to lead such an outpouring of Boston Commandery Sir Knights in this well deserved tribute to our distinguished frater.

### AT THIS MEETING

We are happy to present to you, for your enjoyment and entertainment, the well known Wollaston Glee Club. This group is considered one of the best in these parts, and under the musical direction of Ted Whittredge, and their President, Lewis B. Carlson, we are sure of an evening of unforgettable pleasure.

### PETITIONS FOR THE NEXT CLASS

The next class will start in May. The Commander solicits your continued cooperation and support in making this final class a large one, so that Boston Commandery can continue to lead the way. The petitions are coming in better, and if you will contact either your Commander or Em. Sir James C. Bayley, Chairman of our Membership Committee, about any prospect you have in mind, we will be only too glad to follow through on them, and see that the sponsor gets credit for the petition.

### CONGRATULATIONS

After we had gone to press last month, it came to our notice that two more of our Sir Knights had been honored by the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in Massachusetts. Sir Knights Frank Treco and John E. Eaton, Jr., are now Right Worshipfuls, having been appointed District Deputy Grand Masters by Most Worshipful and Eminent Sir Whitfield W. Johnson.



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ANNUAL INSPECTION — WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1955



# OFFICIAL INSPECTION, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1955

## BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLARS

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### STATED CONCLAVE

OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR  
will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple  
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1955—4:30 P.M.  
To open a Commandery of Knights Templars for the dispatch of business

**THE BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE**  
will be transacted immediately after opening—balloting on petitions

#### FOR THE ORDERS

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**SEILER BUFFET DINNER 6:00 TO 7:30 P.M.**

**Members \$1.00**

**Guests \$1.50**

Provision will be made only for those who reply (post card enclosed)  
by Monday, March 14, 1955

*It is important, Sir Knights, that you return your card promptly*

#### ANNUAL INSPECTION

**Official Count — 8:00 P.M. — Be Present**

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INSPECTION REHEARSALS FOR OFFICERS AND GUARDS

Friday, March 11, 1955

DRESS REHEARSAL, Monday, March 14, 1955

Buffet Supper, Masonic Temple at 5:45 P.M.

Full Form Opening, Inspection and Review and The Order of the Temple

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## ANNUAL INSPECTION

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1955

by

EMINENT SIR ALFRED C. BLAKE, Grand Senior Warden

Assisted by

EMINENT SIR HERMAN C. McSTAY, Deputy Grand Warden

#### PROGRAM

5:00 P.M. FULL FORM OPENING  
First Section — Order of the Temple  
6:00 P.M.  
to  
7:30 P.M. SEILER BUFFET DINNER  
7:45 P.M. RECEPTION OF GRAND OFFICERS  
8:00 P.M. OFFICIAL COUNT  
8:15 P.M. INSPECTION AND REVIEW  
Second Section — Order of the Temple  
9:00 P.M. REMARKS BY DIVISION COMMANDER

(Note Boston is one of two Commanderies to confer the Order of the Temple in Full Form at Inspection.)

Please make special note of **OUR INSPECTION DATE, Wednesday, March 16.** Our membership is large and the count is a big factor insofar as our MARK is concerned. It should be a must with every Sir Knight who is physically able, and within reasonable distance of our asylum to be present and Counted. Your Commander is depending on you. Return enclosed card (which requires no postage) promptly. The information on the card is essential and gives us the desired information for our Count STATISTICS. Your cooperation will be most helpful.

#### SIR EDMUND H. TALBOT CLASS

The final Class of our Commandery Year will be named in honor of our oldest Knighted Member, Sir Edmund H. Talbot, who was KNIGHTED on January 15, 1890. A minimum of thirty candidates for this class is the goal of your Commander, to honor this DISTINGUISHED FRATER, who was Dubbed and Created a Knight of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple 65 years ago.

This Class will receive the Orders of Red Cross and Malta at our stated Conclave, May 18th, as presently planned; they will receive the Order of the Temple at a special Conclave, May 23rd. This will enable the Candidates of this Class to enter the Shrine at Aleppo Temple's final Ceremonial before the summer season, on June 3rd. The Order of Red Cross will be conferred in full and dramatic form on May 16th.

#### OLD TIMER'S NIGHT

We are planning our Annual Old Timers Night at our stated Conclave on April 20th, with the usual fun, favors and entertainment. Make notes on your calendar of the special events shown below, and plan to be with us at all of these festivities.

#### COMING EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20, 1955

SUNDAY, MAY 1, 1955

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18, 1955

MONDAY, MAY 23, 1955

TUESDAY, JUNE 7, 1955

OLD TIMERS NIGHT

PROTESTANT LAYMEN'S COMMUNION BREAKFAST

ORDER OF THE RED CROSS IN DRAMATIC FORM AND THE

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TEMPLAR NIGHT AT THE POPS — SYMPHONY HALL



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# Knights Templars

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REGULAR CONCLAVE THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH



# BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLARS

## STATED CONCLAVE OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20, 1955—6:00 P. M.

To open a Commandery of Knights Templars for the dispatch of business

## THE BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE

will be transacted immediately after opening—balloting on petitions

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### NO WORK

### OLD TIMERS NIGHT

Seilers Roast Tenderloin of Beef Dinner 6:30 P. M.

Members \$2.00 — Guests \$3.00

Provision will be made for those who reply (postcard enclosed) by Monday, April 18, 1955.

*It will be most helpful, Sir Knights, if you will return your cards promptly.*

### ENTERTAINMENT

By order of

Attest:

HAROLD A. BUDREAU  
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Boston, April 12, 1955, A.O., 837

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### NO REHEARSAL

### OUR INSPECTION

Your Commander extends his sincere thanks to you Sir Knights, who by your loyalty and devotion to Boston Commandery, made it possible to hold our usual high mark of TEN MINUS. We earnestly solicit your continued support, so that our Grand Old Commandery can retain the high STANDARDS for EXCELLENCE that have distinguished our work throughout the years.

### OLD TIMERS NIGHT — WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20, 1955

At our Stated Conclave, Wednesday, April 20, 1955, we will honor our FORTY YEAR MEMBERS. Our own PAST GRAND COMMANDER, RIGHT EMINENT SIR ROBERT GARDINER WILSON, Jr., will present Thomas Smith Webb medals to the class of 1914 and 1915, in his own inimitable way.

#### Class of 1914

FRANK G. BALCOLM... Knighted April 9, 1914

FRANK R. BRIGGS... Knighted June 17, 1914

GUY LEON COATES... Knighted Feb. 18, 1914

W. STEDMAN COVERT... Knighted Feb. 12, 1914

JAMES FARNSWORTH... Knighted Dec. 16, 1914

ALBERT A. FISCHER... Knighted Dec. 16, 1914

FRANK S. TRECO... Knighted June 17, 1914

LOUIS A. TRECO... Knighted June 17, 1914

#### Class of 1915

ALFRED B. ARMITAGE... Knighted March 11, 1915

JOHN W. BERQUIST... Knighted March 17, 1915

J. LOUIS IVISON... Knighted June 21, 1915

ALBERT E. PAGE... Knighted June 16, 1915

WALTER F. WINCHESTER... Knighted Nov. 17, 1915

You will probably recall, that at our last Old Timers Night we paid tribute to our Oldest Knighted Member (Knighted January 15, 1890) 65 years a member of Boston Commandery, Sir Knight Edmund H. Talbot, of Braemore Hotel, 464 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston 15, Mass., and our Oldest Living Member, (Born August 28, 1857), 98 years old, Sir Knight Dr. Herbert N. Adams, of 160 Magnolia Street, Dorchester 25, Mass. Neither of these Sir Knights can be with us at this meeting, but I am sure they will appreciate receiving cards from their fraters.

Seiler will serve his famous Roast Tenderloin of Beef Dinner, and Sir Knight Gordon Seabury is endeavoring to serve us a bang up entertainment suitable to the occasion. Come and pay tribute to our FORTY YEAR MEMBERS, and enjoy an evening of fun and frolic with your fraters.

SIR KNIGHT GIRAGOS der GARABEDIAN, our talented artist member has again donated one of his excellent framed water scene paintings, that will be available to some lucky Sir Knight, who mails in his dinner reservation card.

### SIR EDMUND H. TALBOT CLASS

We now have 30 *Petitions* for this class, which is named in honor of our oldest KNIGHTED member. The members of this Class will receive the Order of the Red Cross in Full and Dramatic Form at our Stated Conclave, May 18, 1955, and the Order of the Temple, May 23, 1955 (tentative). This will enable the members of this Class to join the Shrine at the Ceremonial on Friday, June 3, 1955, which will coincide with the visit of the Imperial Potentate to Aleppo Temple. Get your *Petitions* in our Recorder's hands as soon as possible.

### PROTESTANT LAYMEN'S COMMUNION SERVICE AND BREAKFAST Sunday, May 1, 1955

The Fifth Annual Protestant Laymen's Communion Service and Breakfast will be held on Sunday, May 1, 1955, starting with Communion at 7 A.M. sharp at the new Old South Church, Copley Square. Boston Commandery will again act as escort for the parade which will leave Copley Square at about 7:45 A.M. for Mechanics Building, led by Aleppo Temple Shrine Band. DR. NATHAN M. PUSEY, President of Harvard University will deliver the oration. Sir Knights who parade in uniform will receive free tickets for the Seiler breakfast. Sir Knights attending Service not in uniform will fall in line back of uniformed section. Tickets for those not in uniform are \$1.50. The Armory will be open at 6:00 A.M., and a special bus will leave at 6:30 A.M. to take our uniformed Sir Knights to the Church and return after the Service from Mechanics Building. Please indicate on enclosed card whether or not you will attend and mail promptly.



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\*E. Sir George Urban Bauer 1916-18  
\*E. Sir Charles William Howard 1918-20  
\*E. Sir Walter Bradley Tripp 1920-21  
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\*Rt. E. Sir Frederick H. Briggs 1921-23

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- \*BRUCE G. LENNOX, 1703 Central Ave., Needham — Treasurer.  
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- ROBERT J. ROULSTON, 71 Columbia Rd., Milton — Printer.  
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- MALCOLM R. SHAW, Parker House, Boston — Assistant Manager.  
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## SEILER DINNER 6:30 P.M.

Members \$2.00. Guests \$3.00. Provision will be made only for those who reply (postcard enclosed) by Monday, May 16, 1955.

## ENTERTAINMENT

## WORK

**The Illustrious Order of Red Cross and Order of Malta**

### SIR EDMUND H. TALBOT CLASS

#### (ENTITLED)

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and those candidates, elected, present and entitled to receive the orders at this meeting.

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## REHEARSAL FOR RED CROSS DEGREE TEAM

Monday, May 16, 1955 — Buffet Supper, Masonic Temple 5:45 P.M.

# SPECIAL CONCLAVE MONDAY, MAY 23, 1955

IONIC HALL, MASONIC TEMPLE, OPEN AT 2:15 P.M.

## WORK

**The Order of the Temple**

(ENTITLED)

Those who receive the Orders of the Red Cross and Malta at our Stated Conclave, May 18, and all other candidates, present and entitled to receive the Orders.

## SEILER DINNER 6:30 P.M.

Members \$2.00. Guests \$3.00. Provision will be made for those who reply (postcard enclosed). Sir Knights, it will be of great help to your officers if you show which meeting you plan to attend. If you will attend *both meetings* so indicate *and mail* your card promptly. Thank you.

By order of

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## SIR EDMUND H. TALBOT CLASS

We have a good class with which to close the year, and our Recorder, or your Commander, will still accept petitions for this class. Our goal is fifty candidates, and we have strong hopes of reaching it. Do not hesitate to get in touch with either your Commander or Recorder, if you have a prospect for this final Class. The order of Red Cross will be presented in full and dramatic form at our regular conclave on May 18th, with Em. Sir. James C. Bayley as Sovereign Master, and Sir Knight E. Wayne Donaldson as Zerubbabel. Rev. Sir Knight Charles C. Pedersen will act as High Priest. Em. Sir James C. Bayley is substituting for Em. Sir. James S. W. Rogers, who has another engagement for that evening, and from which he cannot possibly get away. The Order of the Temple will be conferred at a special Conclave on May 23rd on this Class, in order that those who desire may enter Aleppo at the June Ceremonial.

## POPS CONCERT — JUNE 7th

The Annual Templar Night at the Pops will be held on Tuesday evening, June 7th, at 8:30 p.m. We have been allocated our usual choice block of seats in the centre of Symphony Hall. Tickets are \$2.50 each, and tables seating five persons may be procured for your family and friends. A flyer giving complete details is enclosed. Kindly detach and mail the reservation coupon with your check made payable to Boston Commandery, to Em. Sir James C. Bayley, Room 601, Masonic Temple, 51 Boylston Street, Boston 16. You will have a most enjoyable evening, and the Commander will appreciate your support.

## OUTDOOR RELIGIOUS SERVICE — LEOMINSTER, MASS.

Under the auspices of Jerusalem Commandery, No. 19, an out-door service will be held in Doyle Field, Leominster, on Sunday, June 12th. We are hoping for a large delegation from Boston Commandery. Busses will be used to transport those who desire to go. Further details in the next communication.

## 46th TRIENNIAL CONCLAVE

The 46th Triennial Conclave of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar will be held in New York City, starting August 21st. We would definitely like a showing from Boston Commandery at this Conclave, and details will be worked out for inclusion with the June notice.



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**STATED CONCLAVE**  
OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR  
will be held in the Armory, Room 601, Masonic Temple  
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15, 1955 — 8:00 P. M.  
To open a Commandery of Knights Templars for the dispatch of business

**THE BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE**  
will be transacted immediately after opening—balloting on petitions

**FOR THE ORDERS**

JOHN N. GARABEDIAN, 27 Ledge Wood Road, Weston. Mdse. Manager  
Recommended by S.K. Giragos Der Garabedian and Em. Sir John Reid

**NO WORK**  
**NO DINNER**

*Sir Knights:*

A Business Meeting will be held in our Armory, Room 601, Masonic Temple, at 8:00 P.M., Wednesday, June 15, 1955, to receive petitions and transact such other business as may come before the Commandery.

By order of

Attest:

HAROLD A. BUDREAU  
Recorder  
Room 601, 51 Boylston St.  
Boston, Mass.  
Res. Tel. OCean 3-2336  
Boston, June 7, 1955, A.O., 837

*John Reid*  
Commander  
60 Adams Street  
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**NO REHEARSAL**

**JUNE CONCLAVE**

There will be no work at the June Conclave, as all our Candidates received the Order of the Temple at a Special Conclave, Monday May 23, 1955, in order that they could join the Shrine at the Big Aleppo Temple Ceremonial, Friday, June 3, 1955, on the occasion of the Imperial Potentate's visit. We will have a meeting of the officers and other fraters who wish to attend, in the Armory, Room 601, Masonic Temple, Wednesday, June 15, 1955, for the transaction of business and election of Candidates. Please get your last minute petitions in our Recorder's hands before June 15.

**POPS CONCERT**

Our allotment of 100 seats for the Pops Concert on June 7th has been sold out, and our thanks go to our energetic Past Commander, James C. Bayley, who acted as Chairman for this fine showing. Boston Commandery will be well represented as usual.

**OUT-DOOR TEMPLAR RELIGIOUS SERVICE, LEOMINSTER**

A bus will leave the Masonic Temple at 12 noon, Sunday, June 12, to attend the out-door Religious SERVICE at Leominster, Mass., sponsored by Jerusalem Commandery No. 197, Fitchburg. The Uniformed Guards, officers and Past Commanders are urged to attend, so that Boston Commandery can make its usual fine showing. See leaflet enclosed for complete information and plan to be at the Armory, ready to leave *in uniform*, at 12 noon sharp, Sunday, June 12, 1955. BOX LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED WITH COMPLIMENTS OF Boston Commandery.

**TRIENNIAL CONCLAVE**

Our Guards, officers, and Past Commanders, who will go to New York City for this event, on the one-day trip, as outlined in the enclosed brochure, will please notify your Commander or Sir Knight Rowland D. Crook, Captain of the Guard, or Sir Knight George A. Spargo. We are planning to attend the Conclave as a Uniformed group and participate in the Knights Templar parade, Tuesday evening, August 23rd, returning home in a special car that same evening. We are *anxious* for a good turnout, to keep Boston Commandery in the forefront.

**THANKS**

As we come to the end of another Templar year, may I express my sincere thanks and appreciation for all your assistance during the past Templar year. I extend the Best Wishes of your officers for a pleasant and successful summer season.



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## ANNUAL REPORTS

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## SEILER DINNER — 6:30 P.M.

Members, \$2.00. Guests, \$3.00. Please assist your officers by making reservations promptly, but not later than Monday, September 19, 1955.

## ENTERTAINMENT

## REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS

## RECEPTION OF INSTALLING OFFICER

## INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

BY  
RIGHT EMINENT SIR ROBERT GARDINER WILSON, JR.  
Past Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery K. T., of  
Massachusetts and Rhode Island

ASSISTED BY  
EMINENT SIR FRANK BROWN ELLS  
Past Grand Warder

By order of

Attest:  
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Boston, Sept. 13, 1955, A. O., 837

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NO REHEARSAL

Please Note Bills for 1956 Dues Enclosed

## Sir Knights:

As we begin another Templar Year, let us pause and review our accomplishments of the past year, and rededicate ourselves to the task of keeping Boston Commandery in its present position of leadership.

During the year just closed, we knighted 67 new Sir Knights. Our net gain, although not as large as some recent years, can be considered fairly successful. In an organization such as ours, the percentage of loss by deaths, etc., is quite large and the past year has been no exception. To all of our Sir Knights who contributed to this wonderful showing, I extend my personal thanks. There are still hundreds of eligible Blue Lodge and Chapter Masons, ready and willing to join our Christian Order and I urge each of you to act as a Committee of one, in an effort to make certain that an INVITATION is extended to them to become affiliated with Boston Commandery. Em. Sir James C. Bayley, Chairman of our Membership Committee is WORKING DILIGENTLY and has done an outstanding job of organization, but he needs your help. If you know any eligible Mason who can qualify for membership in our great Order, please give this information to Jim or your Commander, and we will see that an invitation is promptly dispatched.

Twenty-five of our SirKnights represented Boston Commandery at the TRIENNIAL of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar, and participated in the parade in New York City, on August 23rd, and had a most satisfactory trip.

Everything possible will be done by your officers to make our meetings interesting and enjoyable. Our September meeting, as usual, will be a strictly business meeting, and we are trying to secure outstanding entertainment for your pleasure. Right Eminent Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., will install our officers in his inimitable way, so come and enjoy yourself with your fraters.

John Reid

## In Memoriam

CHARLES T. ALLEN, JR. Knighted Mar. 7, 1927 — Died Oct. 7, 1954	HARRY N. HUDSON Knighted Nov. 16, 1949 — Died Dec. 27, 1954
ELLIS ALSEN Knighted Nov. 15, 1944 — Died July 23, 1955	EDWIN S. HUSE Knighted June 16, 1909 — Died May 2, 1955
MICHAEL G. ANTONORAS Knighted June 18, 1952 — Died Nov. 24, 1954	GUNNER V. JOHNSON Knighted Mar. 28, 1924 — Died Sept. 18, 1954
J. WALTER BALFOUR, SR. Knighted June 18, 1952 — Died June 8, 1955	JOHN C. MacDONALD Knighted Apr. 26, 1922 — Died Jan. 8, 1955
FREDERIC C. BOOMER Knighted Feb. 10, 1915 — Died Nov. 26, 1954	ELMER J. MACHARG Knighted June 18, 1924 — Died Nov. 23, 1954
WILLIAM E. BUCKNAM Knighted June 15, 1921 — Died Jan. 25, 1955	SAMUEL MAYLOR Knighted Jan. 16, 1946 — Died May 15, 1955
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\*E. Sir Leonard Warren Ross 1912-13  
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\*E. Sir Charles William Howard 1918-20  
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\*E. Sir Wm. J. Kavanaugh 1921-22  
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# ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-FOURTH ANNUAL CONCLAVE

**BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLARS**

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**STATED CONCLAVE**  
OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR  
will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple  
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1955 — 5:45 P. M.  
To open a Commandery of Knights Templars for the dispatch of business

**THE BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE**  
will be transacted immediately after opening—balloting on petitions

**FOR THE ORDERS**  
EDWIN W. ROBINSON, 32 Curtis Avenue, Somerville. Clerk  
Recommended by S.K. Stanley H. Robinson and Em. Sir Harold A. Budreau  
CECIL E. HALL, 2494 Mystic Valley Parkway, Medford. Traffic Manager  
Recommended by S.K. Harvey B. Leggee and S.K. Edward C. Papkee, Jr.

**ANNUAL REPORTS**  
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**SEILER DINNER — 6:30 P.M.**  
Members, \$2.00. Guests, \$3.00. Please assist your officers by making reservations promptly,  
but not later than Monday, September 19, 1955.

**ENTERTAINMENT**  
**REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE  
AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

**RECEPTION OF INSTALLING OFFICER**

**INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS**  
BY  
RIGHT EMINENT SIR ROBERT GARDINER WILSON, JR.  
Past Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery K. T., of  
Massachusetts and Rhode Island  
ASSISTED BY  
EMINENT SIR FRANK BROWN ELLS  
Past Grand Warder

By order of

Attest:  
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Boston, Sept. 13, 1955, A. O., 837

**NO REHEARSAL**

Please Note Bills for 1956 Dues Enclosed

## Sir Knights:

As we begin another Templar Year, let us pause and review our accomplishments of the past year, and rededicate ourselves to the task of keeping Boston Commandery in its present position of leadership.

During the year just closed, we knighted 67 new Sir Knights. Our net gain, although not as large as some recent years, can be considered fairly successful. In an organization such as ours, the percentage of loss by deaths, etc., is quite large and the past year has been no exception. To all of our Sir Knights who contributed to this wonderful showing, I extend my personal thanks. There are still hundreds of eligible Blue Lodge and Chapter Masons, ready and willing to join our Christian Order and I urge each of you to act as a Committee of one, in an effort to make certain that an INVITATION is extended to them to become affiliated with Boston Commandery. Em. Sir James C. Bayley, Chairman of our Membership Committee is WORKING DILIGENTLY and has done an outstanding job of organization, but he needs your help. If you know any eligible Mason who can qualify for membership in our great Order, please give this information to Jim or your Commander, and we will see that an invitation is promptly dispatched.

Twenty-five of our SirKnights represented Boston Commandery at the TRIENNIAL of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar, and participated in the parade in New York City, on August 23rd, and had a most satisfactory trip.

Everything possible will be done by your officers to make our meetings interesting and enjoyable. Our September meeting, as usual, will be a strictly business meeting, and we are trying to secure outstanding entertainment for your pleasure, Right Eminent Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., will install our officers in his inimitable way, so come and enjoy yourself with your fraters.

John Reid

## In Memoriam

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